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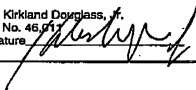
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the **Official Action** mailed February 7, 2006, Applicants submit the following amendments and/or responsive remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begins on page 8 of this paper.